## **PATENT**

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## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

The present application is a continuation of application Serial No. 09/429,392, filed October 28, 1999, pending, which is a divisional of application Serial No. 09/193,469, filed November 17, 1998, now United States Patent 6,091,136, issued July 18, 2000, which is a divisional of application Serial No. 08/878,935, filed June 19, 1997, now United States Patent 5,879,965, issued March 9, 1999.

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Pursuant to M.P.E.P. 2001.06(b), the Examiner is respectfully requested to consider the information of record in the prior application, and to confirm in the first Office Action on the merits that such art has in fact been reviewed. A PTO-1449 form listing all of the information of record in the prior application is enclosed herewith.

This Information Disclosure Statement is filed within three (3) months of the filing date of the above-identified application, and no certification pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c) or a fee pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(p) is required.

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